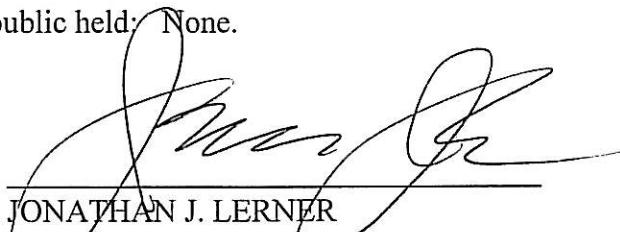


UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

IN THE MATTER OF THE ARBITRATION :
BETWEEN : CIVIL ACTION NO: 07-cv-9699
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IDEAL PLASTIC CONTAINER COMPANY :
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Petitioner, : RULE 7.1 STATEMENT
:
and :
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UFCW LOCAL 174 COMMERCIAL HEALTH :
CARE FUND AND COMMERCIAL PENSION :
FUND :
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Respondent :
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Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 7.1 [formerly Local General Rule 1.9]
and to enable District Judges and Magistrate Judges of the Court to evaluate possible
disqualification or recusal, the undersigned counsel for Ideal Plastic Container Company, Inc. (a
private non-governmental party) certifies that the following are corporate parents, affiliates
and/or subsidiaries of said party, which are public held: None.



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